GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
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ALLOTMENT OF COAL BLOCKS
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the number of coal blocks allotted to Private parties in E.C.L;

(b) if so, the company-wise details during the last three years; and

(c) the revenue earned by Coal India Ltd. due to allotment of coal blocks?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO)

(a) 03 coal blocks with geological reserves (GR) of about 316.72 million tonnes have been allocated to private parties in the command area of E.C.L.

(b): The company-wise details in respect of allocation of coal blocks to private parties in E.C.L. command area during the last three years are given as under:-

Sl.No.	Name of the party	Date of Allotment	Name of block	GR (MT)
1	M/s Bankura DRI Mining Manufacturers Co. Pvt. Ltd.	20.02.2007	Biharinath	95.16
2	M/s Jindal Steel & Power Ltd.	20.02.2007	Jitpur	81.09

(c): Coal India Limited does not earn any revenue from allotment of coal blocks.